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GOVERNMENT OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE  
ITANAGAR

NOTIFICATION

The 5th February, 2024

No. MEST-2019/775.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the provision to Article 309 of the constitution of India and in supersession of **Pharmacist (Allopathy)** Recruitment Rules, 1980, except as respect of things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Governor of Arunachal Pradesh is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the method of recruitment to the posts of Pharmacist (Allopathy) in the Department of Health & Family Welfare under the Government of Arunachal Pradesh, namely : -

1. **Short title and commencement** : (i) These rules may be called the "**General Arunachal Service, Group - C (Non-Ministerial) Pharmacist (Allopathy) Recruitment Rules 2024**".

(ii) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Arunachal Pradesh Gazette.

2. These rules shall apply to the post as specified in column I of the **Schedule** annexed to the Rules.

3. **Number of posts, classification and Level in Pay Matrix** : The number of posts, their classification and level in the Pay Matrix attached thereto shall be as specified in column 2 to 4 in the Schedule aforesaid.

4. **Method of Recruitment, age limit and other Qualification** : The method of recruitment to the post, age limit, qualification and other matters relating thereto, shall be as specified in column 5 to 13 of the **Schedule** aforesaid.

5. **Disqualification** : No person:

- (a) who has entered into or contracted a marriage with a person having a spouse living ; or
- (b) who having a spouse living, has entered into or contracted a marriage with any person, shall not be eligible for appointment to the said post ;

Provided that the Governor of Arunachal Pradesh may if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such person and the other party to the marriage and there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of these Rules.

6. **Power to relax** : Where the Governor of Arunachal Pradesh is of opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, he may, by order, for reasons to be recorded in writing and observing the procedures as prescribed under OM No. AR-89/2012 dated 6th March, 2013 and in consultation with the Arunachal Pradesh Staff Selection Board relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to any class or category of person.

7. **Repeal and saving** : All rules and procedures corresponding to these rules and procedures in force immediately before the commencement of these rules are hereby repealed, provided that any other made or action taken under the rules so repealed shall be deemed to have been validly made or taken under the corresponding provisions of these rules.

Nothing in these rules shall affect reservation/relaxation of age limit and other concessions requested to be provide for the Arunachal Pradesh Scheduled Tribes and other special categories of persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Government of Arunachal Pradesh from time to time in this regard.

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SCHEDULE  
(See Rule 2.3.4)

Column No.	Particular	Provision of Rules
1.	Name of Post	<b>Pharmacist</b> (Allopathy)
2.	Number of posts	243 (two hundred forty-three) posts *2024, subject to variation dependent on workload
3.	Classification	General Arunachal Service, Group 'C', Non-Gazetted (Non-Ministerial)
4.	Level in Pay Matrix	Level - 5, ₹ 29,200-92,300 pm (Entry Grade)
5.	Whether the Selection post or non-selection post	Not applicable
6.	Age limit for direct recruitment	Between 18 and 35 years with 5 (five) years relaxation to the candidates belonging to Arunachal Pradesh Schedule Tribes (i.e. 37 to 40 years) in terms of Notification No. AR/219/2022-US-1- AR dated 25th February, 2023 as amended from time to time.
7.	Educational and other qualification required for direct recruits	Class-XII (Science) passed from a recognized Institution/Board with Diploma in Pharmacy (D. Pharm.) from any Institution/Board recognized by Pharmacy Council of India (PCI) and must be registered under the Arunachal Pradesh Pharmacy Council/Indian Pharmacy Council.
8.	Whether age, educational qualification prescribed for direct recruitment will apply in the case of promotes	Not applicable
9.	Period of probation, if any	2 (two) years
10.	Method of recruitment whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/transfer/absorption and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods	100% direct recruitment on the basis of the merit adjudged through a written examination conducted by the Arunachal Pradesh Staff Selection Board in terms of Notification No. AR-27012/2/2022-SECT-1-AR/356 dated 14th August, 2023 as amended from time to time.
11.	In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/absorption grades from which promotion/absorption to be made.	As mentioned in Column No.10
12.	If a Departmental Promotion Committee exist what is its composition.	<b>DPC for confirmation :</b> 1. Head of Department (Principal Secretary/Commissioner/ Secretary — Chairman 2. Deputy Secretary/Under Secretary of the Department — Member 3. One Group 'A' officer not connected to the work of the Department — Member 4. One Group 'A' APST officer if none of the member belongs to APST — Member  In terms of Government Notification, No. AR109/2018 dated 28th December, 2018 as amended from time to time.
13.	Circumstances in which APPSC is to be consulted in making recruitment	Consultation with the Arunachal Pradesh Staff Selection Board (APSSB) is required as per the APSSB Act, 2018 as amended from time to time.

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